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Cabinet approved the cadre review of group 'A' Executive officers of BSF

THE Union Cabinet approved the much-delayed cadre restructuring for the officers of the Border Security Force (BSF) leading to creation of 74 posts, an exercise aimed at enhancing operational and administrative capabilities of the force.

A Government statement said, the Cabinet, headed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, has "approved the cadre review of group 'A' Executive officers of BSF with net creation of 74 posts of various ranks from Assistant Commandant to Additional Director General ranks to enhance the operational and administrative capabilities of BSF."

The last time such an exercise was carried out was in 1990 and after it got delayed for a number of years, a group of officers of the country's largest border guarding force last year moved the Delhi High Court, which directed the Central Armed Police Force (CAPF) to complete the activity within a month's time.